



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**APPLICANT:** David C. Brown

**GROUP:** 2834

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**EXAMINER:** Jones, Judson

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**FOR:** APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLED MOVEMENT OF AN ELEMENT

**Commissioner of Patents  
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**Sir:**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Preliminary to continued examination and responsive to the final office action mailed in June 28, 2005, please amend the above referenced application as follows: